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July 6, 2017

Jeff Edmonds, P.E.
Director of Engineering Services
City of Corpus Christi
P.O. Box 9277
Corpus Christi, Texas 78469

Re: Rogerson Drive – McArdle Road to Sunnybrook Road

City Project No. E16270

Mr. Edmonds:

The City of Corpus Christi received six (6) sealed bid proposals for the above referenced project on June 21, 2017 at 2:00 p.m. at the City Secretary's office. The project bid included base bids for both Hot Mix Asphalt Concrete (HMAC) pavement (Base Bid 1) and concrete pavement (Base Bid 2). There are no additive alternates included in the project. Attached are the bid tabulations of the six (6) bid proposals.

We have received and reviewed the Statement of Experience of the three (3) lowest bidders and have found them to be satisfactory. The bid breakdown for the six bidders is shown on the attached Tabulation of Bids, and the Base Bids 1 and 2 are summarized below:

<u>Bidder</u>	Base Bid 1 – HMAC	Base Bid 2 - Concrete
J.E. Construction Services	\$673,567.23	\$699,807.62
J. Carroll Weaver	\$677,612.17	\$858,567.01
Grace Paving and Construction	\$724,933.32	NO BID
MAX Underground Construction	\$727,381.25	NO BID
Bay, Ltd.	\$951,298.60	\$1,277,329.10
Clark Pipeline Services	\$953,732.75	NO BID

J.E. Construction Services is the apparent low bidder for this project based on Total Base Bid for both Base Bid 1 – HMAC and Base Bid 2 – Concrete. Both base bid amounts are within the City's construction budget. Based on the City's evaluation criteria for lane-mile cost, Base Bid 2 (Concrete) would be considered the more cost-effective alternative. The total base bid amount for concrete pavement is 3.8% higher than the total base bid amount for asphalt (HMAC) pavement.

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Therefore, FNI recommends that the City award the construction contract for Rogerson Drive – McArdle Road to Sunnybrook Road (City Project No. E16270) to J.E. Construction Services of Corpus Christi, Texas for Base Bid 2 (Concrete) in the amount of \$699,807.62.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely,

FREESE AND NICHOLS, INC.

Nick Cecava, P.E., CFM

Attachments: Tabulation of Bids – Base Bid 1 – HMAC

Tabulation of Bids – Base Bid 2 – Concrete